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Ref: 394-24672

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Post Office Box 94275
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: Hearing Application
SPILLER SAND UNIT 1 (RA SUA)
BIG BAYOU PIGEON FIELD
Iberia Parish, Louisiana
Applicant: Clayton Williams Energy, Inc.

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Dear Mr. Commissioner:

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, application is hereby made on behalf of **Clayton Williams Energy, Inc.** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the SPILLER SAND UNIT 1 (RA SUA) in the Big Bayou Pigeon Field, Iberia Parish, Louisiana.

1. To find that the SPILLER SAND UNIT 1 (RA SUA) created by Office of Conservation Order No. 483, effective December 14, 1959 and dissolved by Office of Conservation Order No. 483-F effective April 25, 1972 meets all the requirements necessary for termination by R.S. 30:9.1 and Statewide Order No. 29-L-3 and therefore such provisions should be applied to specifically terminate this dissolved unit.
2. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent to this application.

The Spiller Sand, Unit 1 (RA SUA) in the Big Bayou Pigeon Field, Iberia Parish, Louisiana was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 483, effective December 14, 1959.

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, the Commissioner of Conservation, the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation and all interested owners, represented parties and interested parties known to the applicant after a reasonable search were notified in writing in the pre-application notice dated September 13, 2006 that a conference to discuss the proposed application was tentatively scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, October 5, 2006. It was stated at that

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time that this conference would be held only if a request to confer were received by the undersigned within ten (10) calendar days after the date of the pre-application notice. No requests to confer were received either in writing or by telephone and, in accordance with the Rules of Procedure, the tentatively scheduled conference **WILL NOT BE HELD**.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the SPILLER SAND UNIT 1 (RA SUA), Big Bayou Pigeon Field, Iberia Parish, Louisiana, and a list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties to whom this notice is being sent. It is hereby certified that a reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all interested owners, represented parties and interested parties.

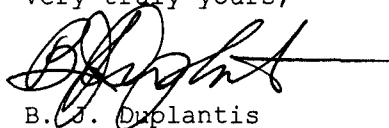
A copy of the list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, interested parties and represented parties is not being mailed to those parties along with this hearing application. Should any of these parties desire a copy of this list, however, we will be glad to provide one upon request.

Upon receipt of the legal notice in the captioned matter, the notice will be posted, published and mailed in accordance with Rule 7 of the Rules of Procedure.

Any pertinent data relating to the proposed unit can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, from Mr. Bill Dale of W. H. Robbins & Associates, 302 La Rue France, Suite 100, Lafayette, La 70505 (337) 232-5004.

Finally, there is enclosed herewith our check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$755.00, made payable to the Office of Conservation, representing the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,



B. J. Duplantis

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Attachments

cc: Mr. Richard D. Hudson
District Manager, Office of Conservation

All Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties

